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CONSUMER PACK CHICKENS, INVITATION NO. 009, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-233

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen consumer pack chickens as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Feb. 12. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Feb. 16. Deliveries are to be made from April 1 to June 15.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen U.S. Grade A ready-to-cook young chickens, with neck and giblets. Individual chickens must weigh 3 to 4.25 pounds (1.36 to 1.93 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be commercially labeled and packed in individual plastic-film bags with 10-12 chickens per fiberboard shipping container. An individual shipping container must weigh 36 to 44 pounds (16.33 to 19.96 kg). A purchase unit will total 39,600 pounds (17,962 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-233, Appendix-1, as amended, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens dated October 1999, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-233, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY233
INVITATION : 009
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 51 CHICKEN, FROZEN WHOLE BAGGED
PACK SIZE : 36 36-43 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/01 - 04/15/01

001	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
002	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	21,948
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	17,652
003	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
004	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	30,373
	ST JOSEPH	MO	TRUCK ONLY	9,227
005	COLUMBIA	MO	TRUCK ONLY	11,326
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	28,274

DELIVERY PERIOD 04/16/01 - 04/30/01

006	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
007	VINELAND	NJ		39,600
008	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,600
009	PEORIA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	24,130
	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	15,470
010	SIKESTON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	23,918
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	15,682

DELIVERY PERIOD 05/01/01 - 05/15/01

011	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
012	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
013	CONCORDIA	KS	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
014	COLUMBIA	MO	TRUCK ONLY	16,236
	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	23,364

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DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/01 - 05/31/01				
015	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	28,338
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	11,262
016	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/01 - 06/15/01				
017	VINELAND	NJ		39,600
018	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	16,587
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	23,013
019	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	25,740
	YOUNGSTOWN	OH	TRUCK ONLY	13,860
020	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
021	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
022	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				871,200
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				871,200

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Contracting Officer

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